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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of: John C. Hiserodt

Art Unit:

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Serial No.:

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Examiner:

Carrie M. Stroup, Ph.D.

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For:

CANCER IMMUNOTHERAPY USING

ALLOSTIMULATED CELLS IN A

MULTIPLE SEQUENTIAL IMPLANTATION STRATEGY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), applicant hereby petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for responding to the Office Action in this application, dated December 17, 1999. A three month extension is requested; the extension fee is \$435.

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435.00 OP 240.00 OP The required fee is included in the enclosed check amount.

Respectfully submitted,

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